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Pioneer Wins Third Prize In C.W.N.A. Competition

Didsbury was signally honored last week, but this time it was not for its prize cattle, prize butter or prize cheese, but for a prize winning newspaper. Word was received Wednesday last that the local paper, The Didsbury Pioneer, had been awarded third prize for the best front page of newspapers all across Canada, in class 3 (between 500 and 1000 circulation).

The Didsbury Pioneer now has a circulation of 855 copies per week. The awards for newspaper competition are made annually at the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association Convention. The announcement this year was made from Victoria, B.C., where the annual convention was held last week.

Points are awarded for best front page on local news value including headings; for typography and make-up of pages; presswork; and local and general illustrations. The award received by The Didsbury Pioneer was the "Printer and Publisher Special". First place in this class was won by the Ladner (B.C.) Optimist, with the Vulcan (Alta.) Advocate winning second. Other Alberta papers receiving honorable mention were the Red Deer Advocate, and the Claresholm Local Press, the latter being awarded second prize for the best editorial page of papers across Canada with a circulation under 1000 copies weekly.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The first kiln of bricks has been burnt at the brick yard and they have turned out a fine color. Fifteen men are employed at the Didsbury brick yard. Joe Parnell and W. Denham of Plymouth, England, practical brickmakers, have accepted positions with the firm.

A new loading platform for the farmers is being built on the east side of the track by the C.P.R.

The fine block of stores being erected by John Liesemer on Osler street is well under way.

Mr. Peter Liesemer, who farms a half section east of Didsbury, states that he has 170 acres under crop and none of it has been touched by frost.

D. Sichel and Oscar Levagood are at the Yellowhead Pass and will spend the winter there fishing and trapping.

Work is being rushed on the new school and the building will be ready for occupancy by the first of the year.

Calgary dairies are dealing with local farmers in an endeavor to have them supply milk for city desks. The price offered is 17½ cents per gallon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Berscht on September 22nd, a son.

A large quantity of poultry was received Monday at the government fattening station at the Didsbury Creamery.

Dominion Government Surplus Estimated at \$500,000,000

Top government financial experts at Ottawa are gasping with some surprise at the rate money is flowing into government coffers, and were unofficially estimating a surplus for the year 1947-48 of close to \$500,000,000.

They were basing their estimate, mainly, on the amazing \$387,877,327 surplus reported for the first five months of the year.

While the experts hesitate to predict that this surplus will grow in

MAYOR GETS 10½ LB. GOOSE

Mayor H. Lynch-Staunton is not only chief magistrate of the town, but he is an ardent hunter and proved to his subjects that he knows how to shoot. On Thursday, in company with Ed Wiggins, he went out west of town on a duck hunt, and while the ducks were not flying a flock of four geese came down within the range of the Mayor's gun. He brought down a dandy big goose, which weighed 10½ pounds.

"CHURCH AND MARRIAGE" TOPIC AT WALTHER MEET

"My Church and Marriage" was the topic under discussion at the last Walther League meeting, held Tuesday, September 23rd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Folkman. Such interesting points, related to marriage, as the following were thoroughly discussed: Should a marriage take place in a church? Should the wife continue to work after marriage or devote her time to her household duties? Should a young couple plan for children? Who should be the boss in the home? All these questions were answered on the basis of the Bible.

The local society has invited the fall rally for Southern Alberta to be held at Didsbury, and the business session dealt with matters pertaining therewith. It is hoped to have the rally on Sunday, October 12th.

The topic for the next meeting will be "Citizenship—My Church and Government," and the speakers will be Oscar Reinhardt. The next meeting will be held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. Fox. After a number of quizzes and a sing-song a tasty lunch was served by the hostess.

LUMINOUS-TYPE CENTER LINE ON ALBERTA ROADS

For the past ten days a crew of men working for Everett Richardson Co., of St. Thomas, Ont., have been busy putting on the luminous-type center line on the new highway between Calgary and Olds, and within the next few weeks these men hope to complete 300 miles of center line on Alberta highways.

The painted strip gives off a phosphorescent glow during night foggy weather, thus clearly marking inclines and turns. Broken lines are marked on straight stretches, and continuous lines on sections where there are bridges, hills and sharp curves.

The new center line has been completed on the Calgary-Highway and all but 40 miles of the Calgary-Edmonton highway will be done. Other stretches of Alberta highway to receive the new luminous-type center line this year will be the Calgary-Banff route, except for the new stretch to Cochrane, and 35 miles from Medicine Hat to the Saskatchewan border.

And they have a feeling that a half billion dollar surplus is not just an outside possibility. Revenue collections for April to August inclusive were \$1,170,818,298. Projecting this figure for the 12 month period would give total revenue of approximately \$2,800,000,000.

Estimated expenditures for the year, comprising the main and supplementary estimates, are \$2,175,000,000. However, expenditures normally rise somewhat toward the end of the year, and revenues are expected to decline due to lower taxes. These factors are expected to place the surplus somewhat between \$400,000,000 and \$500,000,000 for the full year.

I.O.D.E. CALICO BALL HERE ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Mons Chapter I.O.D.E. will sponsor a Calico Ball to be held in the Didsbury Opera House on Friday, October 31st, and those that "trip the light fantastic" are advised to keep the date open and plan to attend this big event.

Anderson's Orchestra of Calgary has been engaged to play the music on this occasion and the ladies assure a real enjoyable time to all who attend.

THOMAS ALBERT SPRAGGS PASSES IN 78TH YEAR

Another old timer has passed to the great beyond in the person of Thomas Albert Spraggs, 78, who died in the Didsbury hospital on Wednesday, September 24th.

Mr. Spraggs, who was born in County Down, Ireland on November 27, 1868, came to Canada as a young man and to the Didsbury district in 1901, where he took up a homestead 18 miles east of town. His wife, predeceased him in 1918 and a daughter, Hilda, died in 1930. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. O. Bittner, Didsbury; three sons, Patrick, Didsbury; Louis, Regina; and Robert, Hythe; also 13 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from Knox United Church, Didsbury, on Saturday, September 27th, with Rev. D. Whyte Smith officiating. Pallbearers were Wm. McCulloch Sr., J. Tolpelt, B. Pross, L. Page, F. Metz and Mac Dunlop.

W. McFarquhar of Didsbury Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements and interment followed in the Didsbury cemetery.

WESTCOTT WOMEN'S INSTITUTE CHANGES MEETING DAY DATE

The Westcott W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Klinek Sr. on Thursday, September 25th, with 13 members and one visitor present.

Roll Call was answered by giving a fire or accident hazard course to firms, and how it could be prevented. It was decided to send \$5.00 to the Institute for the Blind. As the monthly objective of the W.I. for September a donation of \$5.00 will also be sent to the Vitamin Fund for babies in Britain. The date last set for the contest to be held in November was given out.

The meeting day for the Westcott W.I. was changed from the 2nd Thursday in the month to the 2nd Thursday in the month. The time has also been changed from 2:30 p.m. to 2 p.m.

A short sing song was followed by the reading of a paper on Social Welfare written by Mrs. S. Owens. Mrs. Owens was not able to be present and the paper was read by Mrs. W. Owens. It dealt with children's sight and hearing, and testing and correction measures which could be taken in early life if there was anything wrong.

The Educational talk was given by Mrs. Ed Klinek on the subject, "Farmhouse Fire Hazards." Personal experiences were related by a "Burned Out", and did not fail to impress the members.

The Bit of Fun was taken by Mrs. Klinek Sr. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, October 9th, at the home of Mrs. C. Eckstrand. Ladies—Please remember your baby picture for the contest, and don't forget the new date and time.

GOLFS WHILE HE WORKS

Although the indefatigable Bob Hope worked continuously without a "breather" during the 48-day filming schedule of his latest comedy, "My Favorite Brunette," it wasn't all work and no play for the country's top comedian. The film, coming this week end to the Didsbury Opera House, provided Hope with his first opportunity to play golf in a full length movie.

Bob is said really to tee off with the humor in this golfing scene, which takes place on a course belonging to an insane asylum. He is inveigled into a game with one of the inmates, who has no trouble beating Bob—he doesn't use a ball!

Dorothy Lamour co-stars with Hope in "My Favorite Brunette," a Paramount release.

DIDSBURY YOUNG PEOPLE ATTENDING UNIVERSITIES

A large number of young people from Didsbury and district are attending universities this term in various parts of Canada and the United States. Among them are:

Gordon Wordie, Bob Mortimer, Clarence Youngs, Mary Wood, Arthur Rupp, John Parker, Jean Wilson and Marie Eby, who are enrolled in various faculties of the University of Alberta.

Clarence Johnson and Cleta Thompson will study at the University of British Columbia. Lloyd Thompson at Manitoba, Dorothy Barrett at the University of Toronto, and Douglas Wordie at Berkeley, Calif.

Don Mortimer and Mrs. Mortimer (the former Miss Mary Robertson) are taking postgraduate work at the University of Wisconsin.

COMMUNITY CENTRE FUND AIDED BY MORE DONATIONS

Further donations to the Memorial Community Centre fund in the form of cash and materials are still coming in, and all of these will be considerable help in completion of the first unit of the project.

Cash donations of \$18 have been received from H.D. Halliday and the Atlas Lumber Company, and B. Tuggle has donated and hauled a load. W.C. Moon is also among the donors, his donation, his being a cash one of \$50.

MRS. K. PETERSON HONORED AT FAREWELL TEA ON FRIDAY

A delightful tea was held at the home of Mrs. Norman Clarke on Friday afternoon last when Knox United Senior W.A. gave a farewell party for a valued member, Mrs. K. Peterson, who is leaving to make her home in High River.

Mrs. Dick Huber of Carstairs, an old time friend, and members of the W.A. were also present. After contests and a pleasant afternoon the president, Mrs. Bruce Parker, presented the guest of honor with a gift and best wishes for happiness in her new home. Lunch was served, with Mrs. Ruth Eckel pouring tea and Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Roach and Mrs. Parker serving.

NOTICE TO ALL BUSINESS MEN OF DIDSBURY

Although the "bees" at work on the new Arena have been very successful, and the Committee really appreciates the way in which the town and district have turned out to work, it is felt that one half day a week is not sufficient. Since everyone in town and district is behind this project one hundred percent, it should not be too much to expect the plan which follows to work out. Each place of business is to supply one man per Friday. In this way the work will always be done. It is impossible that place of business is to arrange for someone else to take the place of the man who is on duty. The men report for voluntary work at eight in the morning Monday through Friday. On Saturday men who are not in business—school teachers, for example, will form the voluntary group. After harvest a similar plan will be worked out for the farmers of the district.

Let's all get behind this plan and show our Community Spirit. Below is the chart. (Clip it out for future reference).

ONE MAN FROM EACH BUSINESS PLACE ON DAY INDICATED

Rosebud Garage	Thurs. Oct. 2	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Rosebud Flour Mill	Thurs. Oct. 2	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Nichols Garage	Thurs. Oct. 2	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Atlas Lumber Co.	Wed. Oct. 1	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Bright S.S.	Wed. Oct. 1	Wed. Oct. 15	Thurs. Oct. 16
Jenkins Groceries	Thurs. Oct. 2	Mon. Oct. 6	Wed. Oct. 15
T. E. Scott & Son	Thurs. Oct. 2	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Harold E. Oke	Mon. Sept. 29	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 15
J.V. Berscht & Sons	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Thurs. Oct. 16
Slevens Garage	Tues. Sept. 30	Mon. Oct. 6	Thurs. Oct. 16
Edwards Hardware	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Thurs. Oct. 16
Halliday's Grocery	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Kirby's Meat Market	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Mac's Hardware	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Club Lunch	Tues. Sept. 30	Mon. Oct. 6	Fri. Oct. 17
Didsbury Pioneer	Thurs. Oct. 2	Thurs. Oct. 9	Fri. Oct. 17
Rosebud Hotel	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
C. E. Reiber	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Harold's Garage	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Ranton's	Tues. Sept. 30	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
Red & White Store	Mon. Sept. 29	Tues. Oct. 7	Fri. Oct. 17
H. Lynch-Staunton	Tues. Sept. 30	Wed. Oct. 8	Fri. Oct. 17
Pool Hall	Wed. Oct. 1	Wed. Oct. 8	Wed. Oct. 15
Didsbury Bakery	Wed. Oct. 1	Wed. Oct. 8	Wed. Oct. 15
Snyder & Cober	Tues. Sept. 30	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 15
Walter McInnes	Tues. Sept. 30	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 15
Law's Drug Store	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 8	Fri. Oct. 17
Town Office	Wed. Oct. 1	Wed. Oct. 8	Fri. Oct. 17
Star of Service	Tues. Sept. 30	Wed. Oct. 8	Fri. Oct. 17
Premier Meat Market	Tues. Sept. 30	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 15
Clyton's Electric	Fri. Oct. 3	Thurs. Oct. 9	Mon. Oct. 13
Edford Motors	Wed. Oct. 1	Thurs. Oct. 9	Mon. Oct. 13
Kaufman & Jenkins	Wed. Oct. 1	Thurs. Oct. 9	Mon. Oct. 13
Allan Gule	Wed. Oct. 1	Thurs. Oct. 9	Mon. Oct. 13
Didsbury Dry	Thurs. Oct. 2	Wed. Oct. 8	Mon. Oct. 13
Cassidy Lumber	Fri. Oct. 3	Tues. Oct. 7	Mon. Oct. 13
Payne-Freeman Co.	Mon. Sept. 29	Thurs. Oct. 9	Mon. Oct. 13
Harrell's Garage	Thurs. Oct. 2	Fri. Oct. 10	Mon. Oct. 13
B.A. Service	Thurs. Oct. 2	Fri. Oct. 10	Mon. Oct. 13
Malloch & Metzger	Wed. Oct. 1	Fri. Oct. 10	Mon. Oct. 13
Hay	Wed. Oct. 1	Fri. Oct. 10	Mon. Oct. 13
Sinclair Blacksmith	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
Carleton Blacksmith	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
P.R. Motors	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
Ivan Weber	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
L.B. Dickau	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
Low	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
I. Ferguson	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
H. Wood	Fri. Oct. 3	Fri. Oct. 10	Tues. Oct. 14
Didsbury Dry	Fri. Oct. 3	Wed. Oct. 8	Mon. Oct. 13
Jack McCloy	Fri. Oct. 3	Tues. Oct. 7	Thurs. Oct. 16

LIKE THE DIDSBURY PIONEER

In renewing their subscription to The Didsbury Pioneer Mr. and Mrs. William Falk, 1054 Princess Ave., Victoria, B.C., state: "The Pioneer is one paper which brings to us the news of many of our friends in and around Didsbury and keeps us in contact with developments of the district."

HIGH JINKS TAKE PLACE AT HIGH SCHOOL INITIATION

Grade X students and three teachers were initiated when the Didsbury High School held its annual initiation party on Friday evening, September 26. The girls came dressed as Indians and the boys looked ready for bed in their night gowns and night caps. Mrs. Fred Evans was dressed as a grizzly bear, Miss Cullen as an old farmer and Mr. Stiles as a young girl.

Those being initiated were smeared with grease paint, and the girls really looked like Indians. They were then taken on a trip around the school. While walking along blindfolded they encountered a rope strung across the hall at ankle height, but luckily for them there was a mat on which to fall. They were given a shock from a girl's knobby which was wired to a Hot Shot battery. To make it more effective their hands were smeared with greasy porridge and they were made to stand on a piece of metal. A bright light was also flashed in their faces. While going down the stairs they ran into fly stickers, and at the bottom there was a barricade over which they had to climb.

After being shown a beautiful conception comprised of the insides of pigeons, worms and blood they were again blindfolded and told to eat the mixture, but actually ate tomato juice, noodles, grapes an eppson salt.

After the initiation was over here was a parade down town which ended at the Lions hall. Prizes for the elimination dance were won by Anita Andrews and Ken Sproule. The evening finished with the forming of a line which wound its way down the main street. Everyone reported an excellent time.

New officers on the Students' Union executive are Trevor Hughes and Joyce Wood, who represent the sports committee.

DIDSBURY LEGION TO PLACE PLACQUE ON CENOTAPH

The regular monthly meeting of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was held in the Lions Hall on Thursday evening, September 25th, and a fair number of veterans were in attendance.

The president, Bill Payne, gave a progress report on the Memorial Community Centre which revealed that headwork is being made on the project and a considerable amount of gravel and other material was on hand.

A report on the sub-zone organization meeting held at Carstairs was given by the delegate, W. Gillie. The sub-zone will take in Carstairs, Canadian Legion, Olds, Bowden, Sundre and Cremona, and Dan Campbell of Olds was appointed to attend to the business affairs of the zone.

The plaque committee made a report on the size, shape and cost of a plaque to be placed on the Cenotaph in commemoration of those who fell in the Second Great War. It was decided to order the plaque and the cost will be defrayed by donations from Legion members, and non-members who may wish to subscribe.

The Poppy committee, consisting of Geo. Thring and W. Skerry, was then appointed. The usual observance on this date will be continued and a committee was appointed to look after the day's activities.

Following lunch a spelling bee was held, Mrs. Worrall and Mrs. Booker being the winners.

ALEXANDER RANKIN DIES FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Funeral services for Alexander Rankin, who died in the Didsbury hospital Friday, September 26, were held from Knox United Church, Didsbury at 2:30 p.m. Monday, September 29. Rev. D. Whyte Smith officiated at the ceremony.

W. McFarquhar of Didsbury Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements and interment followed in the Didsbury cemetery.

Mr. Rankin was born in West Marystone, Scotland, and came to Canada 34 years ago. He settled in the Didsbury district two years later.

Surviving are four sons, George and James, Didsbury; Alexander, Calgary; Robert, Tacoma, Wash.; one daughter, Mrs. Grace Bonner, Butte, Mont.; 10 grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

TELEVISION FOR LONDON CINEMAS

Cinema (large-screen) television is to begin in London this autumn according to a recent statement by Mr. J. Arthur Rank, Mr. Rank, who is the head of the biggest film group in the United Kingdom, said that a start would be made with five or six West End movie houses.

MRS. MEYER ENTERTAINS LUTHERAN LADIES AID

Mrs. G. Meyer was hostess to the ladies' aid meeting of Redeemer Lutheran Church on Wednesday, September 24th. After a brief topic discussion on the "Ascension of Our Lord," the business of the aid was discussed.

A number of articles made from flour sacks by the members of the aid were displayed. The members also began discussing plans for a fall sale to be held sometime in November. The matter of furnishing the basement of the new church, especially the kitchen, was again discussed.

Three new members signed the roster. The meeting also enjoyed the presence of a number of visitors.

The gathering was brought to a close with the serving of a tasty lunch by the hostess.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

EGGS		
A Large	.....	39c
A Medium	.....	37c
A Pullet	.....	33c
B's	.....	26c
C's	.....	21c
BUTTERFAT		
Delivery Basis at Crystal Dairy		
Special	64c
No. 1	62c
No. 2	54c
Table Cream	69c

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Editorial

"PIONEER" IN THE LIME LIGHT

It is not easy to convince the people of Didsbury and district that they have a good newspaper, but this is Newspaper Week, and gives us an opportunity to "blow our horn". On this occasion we have a little added help from the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association which has just announced that The Didsbury Pioneer has been awarded third prize for the best front page in competition with weekly newspapers all across Canada with circulations between 500 and 1,000.

While we have endeavored to give Didsbury and district as newsy a paper each week as is possible your editor had not hoped for such a high honor being bestowed upon his paper, and had it not been for the untiring efforts of our staff and regular and spasmodic news correspondents, together with the advertising cooperation of the Didsbury merchants, this honor could not have been achieved. At this time, therefore, we not only want the people of this town and district to know they have a good weekly newspaper, but to acknowledge appreciation of the efforts of our regular news gatherers and advertisers who have made the winning of this award possible. We hope they will continue to put forward their best efforts weekly, and if we do the same the local newspaper, which after all is a public institution, can continue to be a credit to the community.

DEDICATED TO FREEDOM

Individual liberties are a cherished thing which set this country apart as the mecca for oppressed peoples everywhere. And yet, these liberties and freedoms are taken for granted by the vast majority of the people who are neither interested nor vocal enough to recognize and fight the threatened encroachments on those rights.

The press of Canada is the medium dedicated to that proposition. National Newspaper Week, which is October 1-8, gives us this opportunity to rededicate ourselves once again to that purpose.

Freedom of the press is not an intangible prerogative granted to the owner of a printing press. It is a guarantee to the Canadian people. Freedom of the press belongs to you. It is merely exercised in your behalf by the existing publishers. It includes your freedom to read and hear whatever you wish, the same as it is your privilege to buy the literature you wish, to agree or disagree, to praise or criticize the points of view expressed therein.

Your newspaper is acutely aware of its responsibility to inform its readers on the important news of the day. Because all news items by themselves are not readily understandable or may have a wider significance, your newspaper is also aware of its responsibility to analyze and comment on such news.

Freedom and responsibility go together. Your right and duty to vote is interlocked with your freedom to speak. Your right to individual happiness depends on your freedom to go anywhere, whenever you please. And in the final analysis, all individual freedoms rest on the first one—your right to read and be informed.

If your newspaper is restrained in any manner in its function of telling you what is going on, you have begun to lose your individual freedoms. And the rights and privileges you enjoy as a Canadian citizen will slowly but surely begin to crumble away.

It is because of that your newspaper is a jealous guardian of all freedoms. Perhaps we are sometimes too petty in our editorial comment. Some of our criticisms may not be warranted in the long run. But if mistakes are made, they are honest ones honestly made in an effort to ward off the continuing onslaught against our Canadian heritage, our precious individual freedoms.

Your newspaper is dedicated to freedom—the Canadian type.

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MRS. A.A. DYCK HONORED ON EIGHTY-FIRST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. A.A. Dyck, better known to all as Grandma, was honored on her 81st birthday on Sunday, September 21, when she was entertained at a luncheon by her children and grandchildren.

The luncheon table was beautifully decorated with flowers and centred with a two tiered birthday cake. Lunch was served to 33 guests after which some of Grandma's favorite hymns were sung, including "What A Friend We Have in Jesus," and "Rock of Ages."

NOTICE OF PLEBISCITE
Town of Didsbury

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a plebiscite will be held, for the purpose of determining whether or not the Proprietors Electors of the Town of Didsbury, are in favor of the passage of a Private Bill, by the Legislature of the Province of Alberta, amending Chapter 81 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1927, being an Act to incorporate the Mennonite Brethren in Christ Church as follows:

1- The said Act is amended by adding as section 9a, immediately after section 9, the following:

9a. (1). All the real property as follows:

The whole of block 4, (4), plan 7976 CN in the Township of Didsbury and the personal property situated thereon, shall, while registered in the name of the corporation and owned by it and while used by it for or in connection with educational purposes of a theological nature, be exempt from all taxes, rates, levies and assessments of any kind and nature, save and except special frontage assessment taxes under the Town and Village Act.

(2). Such exemption from taxation shall for all purposes be deemed to have existed since the 1st day of January, A.D. 1947.

(3). The corporation shall, as of the 1st day of January, A.D. 1947, be responsible for its own medical and hospitalization services, and no responsibility therefor shall fall upon or be committed to either the Town of Didsbury or the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49.

2. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

And that the voting will take place on Monday, October 27th, 1947, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Office, and that I, the said Town Officer, forthwith after the Poll is closed sum up the votes, and declare the results thereof.

Given under my hand at Didsbury this 29th day of September, 1947.

F.L. EVANS,
Returning Officer. 2tc

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the boys and girls who assisted in the digging up of our vegetables. Also to the ladies who served the lunch, and a special thank you to Mr. and Mrs. William McCoy and Richard Walders.

Mr. and Mrs. D.N. McDonald

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their gifts, flowers, cards and good wishes during my stay in the Edmonton hospital. They were all very much appreciated.

ALMA M. SHANNON

A Canadian psychologist contends that the greatest safeguard against a mental breakdown is a friend.

NOTES FROM THE EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Brander of White Rock B.C. returned to their home there after helping with harvest operations at the farm of their son, Sandy Brander.

Mrs. D.B. Wood, Claire and Kenneth were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger and Sharon, where Claire and her sister, Joan, celebrated their birthday together.

Leota Straub was a Friday visitor with Evelyn Dowell.

The Lone Pine W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Coates on Wednesday, October 8. Roll Call will be answered with a Jack o' Lantern made from an apple.

A well attended meeting for the organization of a calf club in this district was held in the Jutland school on Friday evening, September 26. Nearly 50 members of the district were represented. Mr. Owen Brown, teacher at Jutland school, took the chair. Mr. Hugh McPhail, district agriculturist, explained the activities of a calf club to the meeting. A few songs were rendered by some of the school pupils present and was followed by a chorus from the entire school. Election of officers followed with Sandy Brander being appointed the calf club leader and Ken Brown assistant leader. Other officers are Lyle Shultz, president, Ronald Haynes, vice-president and Leota Straub, secretary. A committee of three consisting of Lloyd Haynes, Owen Brown and Bruce Shells was formed and will notify members as to time and place of future meetings. The slides which Mr. McPhail was to have shown were not available but will be shown at a later date.

Mrs. Harold Shells was a Calgary visitor Thursday last where she met her mother, Mrs. Odden, of Landline, Alta., and spent the following day with her in the city.

Mrs. John Kohut and family spent a few days in Calgary last week and attended the Air Show.

Mr. Hugh McLean left a week ago last Saturday for Calgary and visited with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Nelson, and family for a few days, leaving the following Tuesday for the Peace River country. He will spend a couple of weeks at Sexsmith, but passed through a rugged section of the country on the way there that reminded him of the Bad Lands.

All combines and threshers have commenced operations again hoping to put in more than two or three days this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McNeil and granddaughter, Carol Schneidmiller, were Sunday visitors at the W. Coates home.

Mr. J. Sainsbury and Clarence Dunn took their saddle horses out for some exercise on Sunday, calling on Walter McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson and family and Mrs. L. Leigh and son motored out from Calgary to visit in the Jutland district last Saturday. Mr. Nelson and his son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz, and aided in digging up the spud crop. Mrs. Nelson and the rest of the family visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Clifford Nelson, and helped with the threshers for the day, while Mr. Leigh and her son visited with Mrs. Leigh's sister, Mrs. B. Shells.

Two little boys had misbehaved in school, and as a punishment the teacher told them they would have to stay late and that each must write his name 100 times. On hearing this one of them burst into tears.

"Taint fair," he cried, "His name is Lee, and mine's Kastenbaumenstein."

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SEALED TENDERS for the purchase of the Melvin school, situated on the E½, 27-31-3 W5th, will be received up to 12:00 noon, Saturday, October 11th, 1947. Building to be moved and the foundation cleared from the premises. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Over the past weekend the federal government announced the abolishing of price ceilings on a long list of commodities and articles. Freed of price control were the following:

Bread and flour and most other foods, excepting meat.

Agricultural machinery, implements, equipment and supplies.

Such textiles as sheets, bedspreads, pillow cases, blankets and towels.

All construction products including lumber, nails, plywood, millwork, cast iron soil pipe and fittings.

Clothing and leather used to manufacture boots and shoes.

Most important items still under control: Rents, sugar, meats, wheat, coarse grains, the principal oils and fats, certain dried fruits, iron, steel and tin in primary form.

The price of bread has not increased in Canada since before the war. It is based on wheat at 77½ cents a bushel, the government paying the difference between that figure and cost of wheat to the flour mills—\$1.58½ a bushel. Henceforth the flour mills will have to pay the full \$1.58½ a bushel.

On the basis of the consumer bonus of a little better than 80 cents a bushel on wheat the federal government has been paying over \$40 million a year to keep down the cost of bread and other bakery products.

Farmer organizations are protesting the removal of ceiling prices on things farmers have to buy. Farmers have submitted to ceiling prices for their commodities on the understanding that ceilings would also be maintained on other things.

NEW JET-PROPELLED FIGHTER PLANE FOR BRITAIN'S NAVY

A new fighter aircraft which is being adopted by the Royal Navy has just made its first flight. It is a jet-propelled plane capable of speeds of more than 600 miles an hour which has been designed and built by Hawker Aircraft, and is planned for building in two different versions. One will be a land-based plane while the other will be planned to operate from aircraft carriers afloat. Each will have a single Rolls Royce Nene turbo-jet engine which develops a thrust of 5,000 lbs.

Ontario is planning to seed an additional million acres to feed grains next year in the hope of obtaining an extra 40 million bushels. Feed crops are down 35 per cent from last year because of bad weather.

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GARDENING HINTS

(By A. T. Kemp)

DID YOU—

Ever realize that gardening is a man's prerogative but often in a new country is forced upon the women folk? It is woman's pleasure to enjoy and help in the lighter and more pleasurable tasks.

That good progressive nurserymen sell paconies on the basis in order of rating, color, fragrance, etc.? The rating is based on value of ten points for the best, as given by the American Pacony Society; so the nearer to the ten points the better, plus desired color, shape and fragrance.

Know that fragrance is being taken notice of in flowers once again? It is fashionable to have fragrance and beauty.

Ever try to dig out an old pacony root and divide it? Take two potato forks and place them in the root back to back, then press the two handles together and the root is split, far, far better than slicing with a spade. Be careful not to crush or hurt your fingers in the process.

Bend over the tops of onions by walking carefully down the row with toes inward to bend the tops and so stop the flow of sap and cause bulb to mature.

Notice that paconies are best left in their old place to grow undisturbed for about ten years and that moving them causes death? Therefore, dig deep and wide, and choose a good location where there is good soil far removed from the roots of trees. Remember that mature around the roots of paconies may cause decay, but deep down, where it would be available later, makes them grow luxuriantly and have fine blooms.

Next Week—Cleaning and Sowing Hard Coated Seeds. Making and Treating Wood Cuttings.

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THE QUESTION OF RYE

(By H.G.L. Strange)

Some people seem to be quite agitated about the high price of rye. For those who are considering this matter here are a few recent pieces of evidence.

One of Canada's ablest private crop reporters states that on a recent trip over the West he saw in the drought area many fields of wheat with yields so low that the farmers were not harvesting them. The fields were abandoned; but that in the same district fields of rye, with similar low yields, were being most carefully harvested and the grain saved and shipped to market. This because the higher price for rye paid to do the harvesting. So grain for human consumption was saved.

The Saskatoon "Star Phoenix" of Sept. 2nd tells us that a single carload of rye was purchased from farmers at Blaine Lake for the sum of \$7,160.00 or \$3.33 a bushel. It is calculated that it would take three carloads of wheat at present prices to fetch the same amount of money as did this one carload of rye.

A farmer who has done well on rye said this in a recent letter: "While wheat may be the staff of life, rye surely is the gold-headed cane."

CANADIAN CANNER WORKING OVERTIME

A canning machine supplied by the Canadian Boys' and Girls' Farm Club at Ladner B.C., has been working overtime in England this summer. The money to buy the machine, unobtainable in England, was provided by raffling a pure-bred Jersey calf, donated for the purpose by a local farmer, and the machine was on its way to a Farm Club in England by the middle of July. There it is being loaned from county to county so that the greatest possible number of clubs can use it.

SECOND SERIES CANADA SAVINGS BONDS OCT. 14

Hon. Douglas Abbott, Minister of Finance, announced this week that a second series of Canada Savings Bonds will be placed on sale on October 14th. Mr. Abbott pointed out that this will enable the continuance of the Payroll Savings Plan now in operation in thousands of organizations throughout the country, and will also permit its installation by other companies who recognize its value. The new Canada Savings Bonds will also be available for purchase by the general public, who have found them to be a convenient and profitable investment for personal savings. They will be available for cash or on instalments.

The Minister of Finance described the features of the second series of Canada Savings Bonds, which will be dated November 1st, 1947, and will bear interest at the rate of 2 1/2% each year for ten years. They may be redeemed at any time at any bank in Canada for full face value plus interest and will be registered in the owner's name, affording protection against loss. Not more than \$1,000 of this series may be registered in any one name.

Mr. Abbott said that the offering of this second series has been prompted by the reception given to Canada Savings Bonds since their introduction last October. Purchases have been made by more than 1,200,000 Canadians. This total includes 623,840 employees who used Payroll Savings Plan facilities provided by their employers.

Although the decision to offer a second series is based primarily on demonstrated public demand for these facilities, it was explained by Mr. Abbott that the Government also has in mind the value of widespread holdings of Canada Savings Bonds in the national economy. Present holdings have already rendered more than a million Canadians better able to meet personal emergencies or to carry out personal plans. Such personal resources are regarded as an element of strength and stability in the nation.

Arrangements for the sale of the second series of bonds will be made by the bank of Canada and will be similar to those followed for the first series. It is expected that authorized sales agents will include investment dealers, and banks and other savings institutions.

HARVEST

During the first week of September, three of the principal grain producing countries—Canada, the United States and Russia—were busy with harvest operations. Harvesting in the United States continued to make good progress and was general in the border States. Yields were good and the quality is reported to be above average.

Russia is harvesting the largest crop in many years, and conditions are reported to be favourable. To save time and reduce the loss of grain, harvesters are being moved from one area to another by air.

CANADA SUGAR RATION MAY BE REMOVED SOON

Announcement from Washington that international sugar control had been lifted for the balance of the year led to the belief in official circles that complete lifting of the sugar ration in Canada or at least a further substantial increase in the present ration is in sight.

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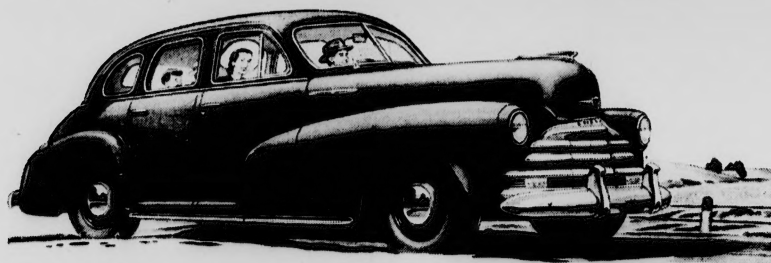
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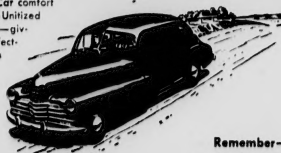
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-: DISTRICT NEWS :-

BURNSIDE NEWS NOTES

Jim McCulloch crushed his foot last Wednesday when he fell from a scaffold, and is now around on crutches.

Ivor Weber was a business visitor in Calgary last Saturday.

Arnold McCulloch returned Monday to Technical School in Calgary where he will complete a two-year course as a machinist.

Albert Spragg, an old timer of the Burnside district, who passed away in the Didsbury hospital last Wednesday, homesteaded in the Stewart school district in 1901 and later moved to the Burnside district. The sympathy of Burnside district goes out to the relatives at this time.

The gardens have been good this year in the district and Mrs. Marston reports that she had six turnips which weighed 58 pounds, the largest tipping the scales at 11½ pounds. She had six potatoes which weighed 10 lbs. 7 oz., and the largest of these was 2½ pounds. One beet weighed 2 pounds, and a cabbage weighed 15 pounds. The large turnip is on display at the Pioneer office.

Mrs. Isobel McCulloch and family returned to Turner Valley over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch took them to the Valley and spent the week end there.

Albert Davidson of Calgary spent the week end in the district with his brother, Harold.

Little Dennis Todd of Sunnyslope is a patient in the Didsbury hospital. He was operated on Sunday for appendicitis and from all reports is doing well.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Ronnie Clarke returned to her home Saturday after an extended visit with her parents at Vegreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Berscht, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Berscht, left last week for their home in Santa Barbara, Calif. This was their first visit to Alberta and they were much impressed with the climate.

The Harvest Festival service at St. Cyprian's Church will be held on Sunday, October 5, at 3 p.m. Those who wish to donate grain, flowers, fruit or vegetables for decorating are requested to leave them at the church on Saturday, October 4.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sutherland were in Didsbury on Saturday to see their new and only granddaughter, Beverly Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Sutherland.

MELVIN NEWS ITEMS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Krole on the birth of a daughter, Shirley Marlene.

Before returning to their home in Coleman Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kyncl and son Boyd tied on some of their old Melvin friends.

Wee Frankie Richardson is staying at the home of his grandparents the Duponts, for a couple of weeks.

Most of the threshing is in full swing this week and everyone is hoping for continued good weather.

The Dog Pound bridge near the school has been repaired and more improvements are expected. We saw the gravel crushing outfit on its way west toward the gravel pit.

At present gravelling operations are progressing on the blind line.

The October meeting of the Westcott W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. McFarlane on a Wednesday instead of a Thursday—That will be on October 15th.

Mr. Clary Youngs returned to Edmonton last week to resume his studies at the University. This will be Clary's fourth year there.

Miss Wynne Jackson has accepted a position with the Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation in Calgary and will do secretarial work.

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WESTCOTT NEWS NOTES

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Word was received here that Miss Marie Benson passed away at Edmonton last week end. She was a sister of May and Rose Benson, who reside with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benson of Westcott. We wish to extend our sincerest sympathy to those bereaved.

Donald Folkman and Le Roy Benson spent last week end at their respective homes in the district.

We saw Mrs. Gladys Lane, Graham school teacher, in Didsbury Friday evening last.

Mrs. O.T. Swanby and son Tom of Mossleigh, Alta., one time resident of Westcott, were visitors in this district on Sunday last.

With the return of better weather farmers are making preparations to start threshing and combining the last part of the week. Let's hope the weather men deals with us kindly for a while now.

One of the earliest legends about Abraham Lincoln is an episode that occurred in 1832, when he was the newly appointed Captain of the Bucktail Rangers. His troop, marching in platoons, was confronted by a fence with a gate that was tightly locked. Captain Lincoln had no idea of the proper order, but his wit did not desert him. "The company is dismissed for two minutes," he ordered. "Then it will fall in on the other side of the fence."

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TENDERS will be received by the Board of the Olds School Division for the Elmwood-Cremona van route. Tenderer to supply vehicle which will comply with the regulations of the Highway Traffic Board (a vehicle meeting such requirements will be available through the Olds School Division shortly after September 30th). Further particulars may be received from the office of the Secretary, Didsbury.

Tenders to close at 12:00 noon, Saturday, October 11th, 1947.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

S.J. Gilson, Sec.-Treas.,
Olds School Division No. 31,
Didsbury, Alberta. 40-2tc

CALL FOR TENDERS

OLDS SCHOOL DIVISION No. 31 is calling for tenders on 200 cords (more or less) green poplar wood.

Tenderers may tender on the full 200 cords or any portion thereof. State location of wood and type of road which serves this location.

Wood may be cut in 14" lengths. Blocks under 8" to be split in half. Blocks over 8" to be split to the same proportion.

Split wood to be thrown in large piles for drying. Piles not to be on the sawdust.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to close and be in our hands by 12:00 noon, Saturday, October 11th, 1947.

All tenders to be forwarded to:
S.J. Gilson, Sec.-Treas.,
Olds School Division No. 31,
Didsbury, Alberta. 39-3tc

NOTES FROM THE WEST

Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Hogg and Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Hogg and Norman were dinner guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Cremona.

Mrs. J. Hosegood and Mrs. D. Hosegood were Calgary visitors on Monday.

The Elkton Willing Workers will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. A.A. Hogg on Thursday, October 9.

Threshing has started in the Elkton district and weather permitting will be general by the end of the week.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. J.L. Clarke of Calgary visited with Mrs. R. Barrett last week. Mrs. Clarke recently returned from a month's vacation at the west coast.

The Anglican service will be held at Rugby on Sunday next, October 5th, at 11 a.m.

Mrs. Carlin and Dorothy Buhr of Calgary spent the week end with their parents in Didsbury.

NOTICE

Any farmer having livestock to deliver during the packing house strike please contact W.W. Gillrie by phone before delivering same.

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W.W. GILLRIE, Agent

STOP AT THE SIGN OF THE BIG B.A.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SEE US ABOUT
YOUR FALL OVERHAUL
FOR YOUR CAR AND TRACTOR
PEERLESS OILS AND GREASES
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PHONE: 125

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LADIES' FALL AND WINTER COATS—Red Fox, Silver Fox, mouton trims. Also untrimmed. In the season's popular shades.

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McCullough's Clothing

HALLIDAY'S

—“THE BEST FOR A LITTLE LESS”—
PHONE 101

AYLMER RED PITTED CHERRIES— 20 oz. tin	45c
HEINZ SPAGHETTI IN TOMATO SAUCE— 20 oz. tins	2 for 39c
ALLEN'S APPLE JUICE, 20 oz. tin 2 for	33c
ONIONS (cured stock), 4 lbs. for	25c
PITTED DATES, per lb.	29c
AUSTRALIAN RAISINS, 2 lb. pkg.	45c
LIBBY'S SAUERKRAUT, 28 oz. tin 2 for	45c
MANHATTAN SOAP FLAKES— 4 lb. 8oz. pkg.	1.29
DYSON'S DILLS, 105 oz. tin	1.15
EDDY'S MATCHES, 300's, per pkg.	29c
BRUNSWICK SARDINES, in oil 3 tins for	27c
BEVERLEY PEANUT BUTTER 16 oz. jar	42c
24 oz. jar	65c
McINTOSH RED APPLES, Cee's, per box	3.25

Miss Mary Tams spent the week end at her home in Innisfail.

Mrs. Wiggins and Donna were Calgary visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Walt Webb, who lives in the States, was in town over the week end renewing old acquaintances.

W.D. Spence is back on the job in Jenkins' Groceteria after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gamble and Alvin Gamble were visitors at the Howard Gilmore home last week, enroute to Chilliwack, B.C., where they will attend Bible school.

Mrs. Earl Brinton was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday and spent a short time with Mrs. Dave Edwards, who is a patient in the Holy Cross hospital.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grange returned last week from a five weeks' motor trip through the Okanagan Valley in British Columbia and down through the States to Spokane, Seattle and other coastal points.

Young lads about town who have been guilty of writing with chalk on town sidewalks and using obscene language are warned to further refrain from this habit or they will be prosecuted.

—On display the New Beatty Vacuum Cleaner and Admiral Radio with record player—Harold E. Oke, phone 10, Didsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg of Ramsey visited last Friday in town with Mr. and Mrs. George Smith.

The front of the New Koffee Kounter is receiving a coat of paint.

The scaffolding was put up on the west side of the Rosebud Hotel last week and we understand that the north and west sides of the building will be succeeded.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carleton were Calgary visitors last Thursday.

Miss Helen Epp left last week to attend the Junior College at Rosethorn, Sask.

Miss Nora Barrett spent Monday in Calgary.

Miss Annie Goossen was a Calgary visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Jean Wilson is attending the University of Alberta this year.

Gordon Wordie, who left Yellowknife last Tuesday by plane, and arrived in Edmonton Wednesday just in time to register for classes at the University, says he enjoyed the Pioneer this summer and although he was at Yellowknife he didn't know they opened a landing field until he read it in the home town paper.

Grayce Frey left Saturday for Portland, Ore., where she will attend Cascade College.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards of Calgary on Sunday, September 21, a son.

The Senior W.A. of Knox United Church will meet this Friday afternoon at 2:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Nichol.

Mrs. Bertha Brechwald spent the week end in Olds.

Bill Ranton was a business visitor in Calgary on Monday.

Mrs. K.G. Shannon returned home Saturday from Edmonton, where she has spent the past month in the Royal Alexander hospital.

Mr. Kelvin Shannon, who was staying with his wife during her illness, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Cunningham and later returned to his work in Magrath.

—St. Cyprian's W.A. will hold a Tea and Sale of Food in the Lions Hall on Saturday, October 4, from 3 to 6 p.m.

—Now is the time to put that lamp or lantern in shape for the long winter evenings. Bring it in for an overhaul or conversion to kerosene for economy.—Builders' Hardware.

Ranton's

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Ladies' Straight Cut
SLIPS
Sizes to 52

Ladies'
SILK VESTS

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SILK NIGHT GOWNS
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And Meet Your Friends

Mrs. Bateman was a Calgary visitor the first of the week.

Douglas Wordie, who left recently to attend university at Berkeley, Calif., was involved in a train wreck near Tacoma, Wash., when the passenger train in which he was travelling crashed into another train. However, no one was injured.

A.G. Studer left this morning for Grande Prairie, where he will spend the next two weeks, and hopes to get in a little goose shooting before he returns.

—New 11' foot Cultivator, on rubber. A discount on one size of pump engine—Cassidy Lumber Yard.

Mr. N. Reynolds of Calgary spent the week end in town with his wife and returned to the city Monday. Mrs. Reynolds will remain at her parental home while her mother, Mrs. Dave Edwards, is in the Holy Cross hospital in Calgary.

—COLEMAN—

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ED WATKIN, manager PHONE 7

Mrs. Wallace of Calgary spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. Evans. Mrs. Maude Johnson of Calgary visited over the week end with Dr. and Mrs. H.W. Epp.

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OCTOBER 10th, 11th

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OLD SALT SARDINES, 3/4 oz. tins 2 for	25c
AYLMER CATSUP, 11 oz. bottle	27c
RED & WHITE CREAM CORN— 20 oz. tins. Per tin	18c
CANNED TOMATOES, Pride of the Okanagan, 28 oz. tin	24c
CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS, 20 oz. tin	20c
MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING— 8 oz. jar	25c
SOAPS OF ALL KINDS	
McINTOSH APPLES FOR HARVESTING	